



Howe's That

The Howe Lions Club is selling raffle tickets for an AR-15 rifle. Tickets are \$10 each or six for \$50. They can be purchased at the Howe Development Alliance and Howe Area Chamber of Commerce office in Downtown Howe.

America is in the advanced stages of a moral and cultural rot. The country is \$19 trillion in debt and spending its way to financial oblivion just as we are eating our way to oblivion with a 43 percent obesity rate. We have seen a 40 percent increase in illegal immigration since 2014. In the U.S. alone, more than 15 million people abuse prescription drugs, more than the combined number of people who reportedly abuse cocaine, hallucinogens, inhalants and heroin. If the war on drugs cannot be won, what are the odds of turning away ISIS?

Violence, prescription drug abuse, the sedentary lifestyle, and suicide have all become epidemic in American society. U.S. politicians are mired in scandals and corruption. The democratic process is in serious trouble, as seen from all of the partisan infighting in our presidential race. Millennials are not feeling the need to vote because they think their vote will not matter. But they'll quickly spend \$0.99 to vote for their favorite American Idol contestant.

Research Center finds that the percentage of adults (ages 18 and older) who describe themselves as Christians has dropped by nearly eight percentage points in just seven years. Over the same period, the percentage of Americans who are religiously unaffiliated - describing themselves as atheist, agnostic or "nothing in particular" has jumped from 16.1 percent to 22.8 percent. The U.S. is beginning to look more and more like ancient Rome before it collapsed.

Fall Festival fun for all



A Howe youngster gets his hair painted during the Fall Festival on Saturday night.

Spanning five decades now, the event is the largest gathering of year for people that identify Howe as their home. Saturday night was the 30th consecutive year that Howe's Fall Festival has taken on the parking lot of Charles R. Thompson Gymnasium. Prior to that, it was held in Downtown Howe and started in 1977.

The festival is the fundraiser for each school's class as well as other interested outside organizations.

"I would like to thank the community for their support of our annual festival," said Howe Elementary Principal Clarissia Doty. "It brings me joy to see everyone join together and have a great time. A true testimony of our community spirit."

A lot of money was raised at the event which will not officially be tallied until Monday morning. In 2014, the amount was over \$17,000 which was distributed to each organization.

Marching Band receives all ones at regional competition

Last week, the Howe High School Marching Band competed against larger school bands in a competition at Princeton. This week, they went back to Princeton for a competition and scored all ones which is the perfect score.

"Being on the same field made it less scary and less intimidating for the kids," said Band Director Angie Liss.

Competing against the

standards, several other schools also received all ones such as Van Alstyne, Whitesboro, Farmersville, and Whitewright.

"They (the judges) were very complimentary of our marching," said Liss. "We heard some really good compliments. Our marching has been really solid all year."

This is the last competition for the band this year who ended on a great note.

Bulldogs play keep away, stay alive, 28-17



Brent Masters runs for yardage against Whitesboro Friday night. Photo by Michelle Carney.

The old saying goes, "a really good run game can be the defense's best friend." That may have never been more evident than on Friday night at Bulldogs Stadium when Howe (5-3, 1-2) took down Whitesboro (2-6, 1-2), 28-17. It's hard to score when you don't have the ball and the Bulldogs played keep away by controlling

possession of the ball for 33:53 of the 48 minutes of the game. Granted, part of that equation is due to the fact that the Bearcats scored quickly when they did put together scoring drives, but nonetheless, the much needed opportunities to score were not there for Whitesboro thanks in part to

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City makes no Halloween declaration - Oct. 31 it is

The City of Howe once determined that Halloween would be on a Saturday and not the traditional Oct. 31 date. However, due to many complaints, the city is staying out of the Trick 'R Treat business and letting the spooky holiday remain for Monday night.

That doesn't mean that there won't be other events take place on different nights. First United Methodist Church will hold a Trunk 'R Treat on Sunday, Oct. 30 from 3:30 to 5 pm with a costume contest at 4 pm. First Baptist Church of

Howe will have a Harvest Fest on their parking lot on Denny Street. It will feature a Trunk 'R Treat and many games.

Community Bible Fellowship will have a Trunk 'R Treat on their location on Monday, Oct. 31 from 6 to 8 pm. The location is across from Howe Elementary School.

On Monday night, the Howe Volunteer Fire Department will be handing out candy to youngsters at the Fire Department in Downtown Howe.

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Fall Festival Photos



Fall Festival Queens Court: Winston Mosse, Clay Marshall, Chase Harvey, Ty Hawkins and Connor Jackson. Moss was named Queen.



Clint Catching auctions off gift baskets.



Panoram of the event.



A large crowd stayed late.

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Jaden Matthews runs for some of his 180 yards on the night.
Photo by Michelle Carney.

two back breaking drives by the Bulldogs - one in each half. In the first quarter, Howe put together a 13 play, 86 yard drive that lasted for 6:39 and ended in a touchdown. In the second half, the 'Dogs put the final nail in the Whitesboro coffin with a 16 play, 66 yard drive that took a ridiculous 7:40 seconds off of the third and fourth quarter clock and Tyler Grisham plunged over for a 2-yard touchdown. To put it in perspective, Howe was leading only 21-17 when they took possession with 3:11 in the third quarter. By the time the Bulldogs gave it back, they were up by two scores, 28-17 and left only 7:31 to go in the entire game. Whitesboro was forced to do things they didn't want to do and threw an interception to Cooper Akins that eliminated any hope for a win for the Bearcats.

Howe, who came into the game 0-2 in district play and backs up against the wall, quickly found themselves under even more stress when Whitesboro's lightning quick slot back Noah Griesen went 39 yards for the game's initial score. The Bearcats held a 7-0 lead after the PAT by Cayden Cobb. The drive took only :38 off the clock.

Howe's initial drive took nearly five minutes off the clock, but ended on a punt that went off the side of the foot of Brandon Wall. However, the Bearcats were forced to punt as well.

That's when Howe started the first half massive drive from their own 14 yard line with 5:51 on the first quarter clock. They ran out the first quarter and on the first play of the second quarter, Howe's quarterback Wall made a tremendous play fake and kept the ball around the right end to score from 24 yards out. That play fake may have very well sprung life back into the Howe Bulldogs as they tied the game, 7-7 after Brice Honaker's first of four successful PATs on the night.

Whitesboro, a good football team having played a tough schedule, answered right back with a 2-play, 66 yard drive that took only 1:03 off the clock. Bradley Klingler scored from the six yard line after being set up by a long run by Scout Sanders. Whitesboro regained the lead, 14-7.

After Cobb's kickoff went into the endzone, Howe started from their own 25 yard line. The end result was an 8-play, 75 yard drive that ended on a 1-yard touchdown by Grisham. Howe tied it back up at 14 with 6:58 left before half.

The Bulldogs defense gave the offense a boost at the end of Whitesboro's next possession when Bearcats punter Cobb was forced to run due to pressure from the right side of the defense. The end result was Howe having the ball at their own 36 yard line instead of trapped deep by a punt.

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Scratching heads lead to new business in Howe



Allison Myers, a Sherman native, moved to Howe two years ago after her and her husband Evan spent time living in Houston. With Evan being hired by Pottsboro ISD as a life skills teacher, she wanted to start her own business. While in Houston and working 9 to 5 in the traffic, she decided that something had to change. A friend of hers asked her if she'd like to start a career treating head lice cases and after first thinking it would be too weird, she gave it a shot. And after learning the skills and crafts, she has opened her own business called Gone For Good Headlice Removal Service.

Myers uses all natural formulas without dangerous chemicals that have proved ineffective. But she says the business is all about nit picking.

"I've had families that have been struggling for four to six weeks which is the average time to get rid of head lice." said Myers "People don't realize the importance of getting rid of he eggs, also known as nits. You have to work to find them and for an untrained eye, it's easy to miss but for someone who knows what they're doing, it can be painless.

Myers offers a 21-day guarantee that if the person gets head lice again within that time, they treat it an no additional charge.

In the United States alone sees six to 12 million head lice cases per year from kids ages 5-13. That doesn't take into account of high school kids and parents.

Dr. Kyong Yoon at Southern Illinois University says that lice have become immune to over the counter head lice treatments.

"These same products that have been used for all of these years are

no longer effective." said Myers. "I spoke to a doctor in Sherman recently and when I told her about my business, she was so excited about it because there's nothing here."

Myers says that doctors know that products like Nix and Rid do not work. She also said that they are already aware that the the prescriptions that they are writing also do not work.

"What she and I were discussing was that it's all about the nits. You get rid of the live bugs, but you have to get rid of the eggs. It's so important." said Myers.

In order to get rid of the eggs, Myers has to scour the head and pick them out one by one. Hence the term, nit picking.

"It's a job." said Myers. "Once you take them off the head, they have to hatch within two to three hours if they're going to live. If they're going to live, they have to have a food source within a few hours. Lice feed off of blood and most of my clients have little sores on their heads."

Myers does not use chemicals for lice removal. She uses all natural products. One of her worse cases came in Houston when one patient used too much of the over the counter solutions and went in to shock due to the poisons in the formula.

"They rushed her to the hospital where she had to stay a couple of days and when she got home, she still had lice." said Myers. "There are warnings on those boxes for a reason. It's a pesticide just as you spray your home. You have to be careful."

Some of the ways of getting head lice seem harmless and insignificant. Myres says she's seen where head lice jumped from one backpack to another that were close.

"You can go to a movie theater and the person that sat in the seat before

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Zack Daniels and Tanner Hartsfield celebrate with Spike.

From there, both teams were forced to punt back to each other until Howe took the ball at their own 22 yard line with only 2:14 left before half. The 'Dogs put together a 10-play, 78 yard drive that left only eight seconds left before the half. Jaden Matthews took it over from the 1 yard line to give Howe their first lead of the night at 21-14.

Bulldog defensive end Mike Helpenstell tallied a sack to eliminate any hopes of points by Whitesboro before the half.

Howe opened the second half with the ball, but Matthews quickly fumbled which set up the Bearcats in great shape at the Howe 45 yard line. Led by the speedy Griesen, they put together a 6-play, 26 yard drive but were limited to only two points thanks to the stingy Bulldog defense. Cobb's 37-yard field goal cut the Howe lead to 21-17.

Howe's next possession kept the ball away from Whitesboro for 3:29 but ended on an 8-yard punt by Wall to give them possession from their own 35 yard line. But again, the Howe defense turned away the Bearcats, who would at times line up in a spread and at times in a wishbone look. The Bearcats identity crisis led to punting the ball back to Howe.

Howe, with anything but an identity crisis, virtually hammered home the win on a back-breaking 16-play, 66 yard drive that started with 3:11 left in the third quarter. With the three-headed running attack of Matthews, Grisham and Brent Masters and a coach with aces in his pocket on fourth down conversions, Howe left only 7:31 in the game and were up

by two scores, 28-17 after a 2-yard score by Grisham.

By going back to the spread, Bearcat quarterback Weston Hickman Jr. threw a ball up for receiver Josh Fletcher, but Hickman floated it due to the pressure from JP Queen. Cooper Akins made a beeline to the ball, jumped the route and took it over 70 yards to the end zone. However, a penalty would bring the ball back and Howe would start their final drive from their own 37 yard line which resulted in a victory formation and a 28-17 bolt of electricity to the victory light in Downtown Howe.

Howe had a total of 71 plays compared to 37 for Whitesboro. The 'Dogs rushed for 375 yards and had a total offensive output of 422. It is the fifth time this season that Howe has gone over the 400 yard mark in a game. Howe held the Bearcats to only 193 yards of total offense, 174 of it on the ground.

Howe has amassed 2,834 yards rushing this season which is an average of 354.3 per game.

Howe will need another win next week at home versus Pilot Point.

Stats

Passing: Brandon Wall 2-3-0-47

Rushing: Jaden Matthews 29-180; Brent Masters 9-75; Tyler Grisham 19-57; Brandon Wall 8-45; Mason Riggs 6-13; Cameron Blesi 1-5

Receiving: Ty Harvey 1-30; Jaden Matthews 1-17

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Lady Bulldogs take down Whitewright

The Howe Lady Bulldogs defeated the Whitewright Lady Tigers on Tuesday in five sets. The scores were 15-25, 25-18, 22-25, 25-19, and 19-17.



Emily Sanders jumps in excitement. Photo by Michelle Carney

The girls lost at Leonard on Friday by scores of 25-22, 25-18 and 25-22. It was the final road match for the Lady Bulldogs.

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you cause infestation." said Myers. "One single lady who had relatives far away took a flight and got head lice on the plane. It's not that you're sharing things. Head lice has been on the rise because of selfies when people put their heads together for a picture."

The State of Texas changed the law whereas if students of public schools were found to have nits in their hair, they weren't required to send them home.

"There are schools that do send them home if they have live bugs and then there are schools that don't." said Myers. "In Houston, it was a problem because they didn't. For the last two years, we've seen a tremendous rise in the amount of head lice because of the laws has changed."

Myers says that the schools get a certain amount of money from the state per day per student and if they are absent, that cuts in to the budget. Because of that reason, they are not sending the students home as before.

"That affects their numbers and what a school might get financially." said Myers. "It has definitely increased the head lice over the last couple of years."

Myers says most of her customers have been referral based because the business is so new. She travels to the home of the person who has head lice and treats them at their convenient location.

The stereotype of head lice victims is that

they are dirty. Myers says that the more clean the hair is, the more easy it is for the lice to lay eggs.

"They lay up to 10 eggs per day, but it's in groups. They might lay four or five eggs and then feed and rest and then lay another four or five eggs." said Myers. "They'll do this every day until the day they die."

Girls tend to get lice easier than boys. Men who have very little hair on their head can have nits and lice will even nest in beards. Extreme cases might find head lice in eyebrows or eye lashes, but Myers has yet to see that.

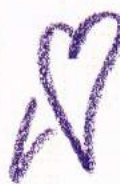
"A lot of people go in to freak out mode when they hear they have head lice." says Myers. "I tell them 'you're okay.' If the infestation is bad enough then they may have some infections."

Head lice does not live anywhere but on humans. They do not burrow to get under the skin, but just live in the hairs on the head due to warmth. They are not seasonal and is a constant issue year round.

"People don't want to talk about it." said Myers. "There's such a stigma. People don't want to admit they've had head lice because they immediately think, 'oh I'm dirty.' That's not the case at all. We encourage people to tell their friends and teachers to make them aware."

Her company, however, will not share information with others without consent from the client. More information on her business can be found at www.goneforgoodheadlice.com.

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First United Methodist Church of Howe

Tuesday
8:15-1:00 pm - Wee Care Learning Center
9:30 am - Women's Bible Study
6:30 pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday
8:15-1:00 pm - Wee Care Learning Center
9:00 am - Wednesday Workers
6:00 pm - Wednesday Night Family Night
6:30 pm - K4J Children's Program
6:30 pm - Jr.High and Sr. High Youth

Thursday
8:15-1:00 pm - Wee Care Learning Center

Saturday
9:00 am - Feed My Sheep (1st and 3rd Sat
each month)

Sunday
8:40 am - Fellowship and Donuts
9:00 am - Sunday School
10:00 am - Worship service
3:00 pm - Cub Scouts

First Baptist Church Howe

Tuesday
7:00 pm - Bible Study

Wednesday
6:30 pm - Kids Ministry
6:45 pm - Adult Bible Study
7:00 pm - Youth Bible Study
7:30 pm - Choir

Sunday
8:30 am - Traditional Worship service
9:45 am - Bible Fellowship
11:00 am - Modern Worship service

First Baptist Church Dorchester

Wednesday
6:00 pm - Meal (Donations for adults and
kids eat free)

6:30 pm - Praise service
7:00 pm - Youth Bible Study
7:00 pm - Adult Bible Study
7:00 pm - RA's/GA's/children's group

Sunday
9:00 am - Men's Prayer Time
9:45 am - Sunday School
10:45 am - A.M. Worship Service
5:00 pm - Adult Chior Practice
6:00 pm - Evening Worship

Howe Church of Christ

Tuesday
10:00 am - Terrific Tuesday Bible Class

Wednesday
7:00 pm - Bible Classes (all ages)

Friday
7:00 pm - Friday Bible Study Group

Sunday
9:00 am - Bible Classes (all ages)

10:00 am - Worship Service

5:00 pm - Worship Service

New Beginning Fellowship

Wednesday
7:00 pm - Radiate Youth

7:00 pm - Sanctuary of for prayer

Sunday
9:30 am - Sunday School (kids, youth,
women, men)

10:30 am - Worship Service

10:30 am - Kids Church

A Christian Fellowship, Luella

Wednesday
6:30 pm - Potluck Meal

7:00 pm - Worship Service

7:00 pm - Jr & Sr High Youth

Sunday
9:30 am - Sunday School (all ages)

10:30 am - Worship Service

10:30 am - KidZone Children's Service
(5yr - 12 yr)

Community Bible Fellowship

Monday
7:00 pm - Luella home group Bible Study

Wednesday
6:30 pm - Food and Fellowship

7:00 pm - Children's Ministry

7:00 pm - Youth and Adult Bible Study

Sunday
10:30 am - Worship Service

7:00 pm - Howe home group Bible Study

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Spirit is described as fire in the Bible. Fire is put out by taking away fuel and covering it with dirt from the earth. We must be careful not to quench the Holy Spirit by indulging our flesh with earthly things. Believers often hinder their spiritual growth by ignoring the concerns raised in their hearts by the Holy Spirit. You have to spend time in God's word because that is your spiritual fuel. His word teaches you and speaks to your spirit. It's His Holy Spirit that will speak to your spirit to abstain from sin, and whatever leads to sin. The discernment of the Holy Spirit is who tells you not to go there! "Be sober-minded and alert. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour," 1 Peter 5:8. God does not want us to be desensitized to sin as the world is. We are in this world to be different and to represent Him to the lost but to never start thinking like it. (Romans 12:2) If you agree to the worlds views then it's imperative for the spiritual condition of your heart to make an about face and take it to God.

For some women, discovering they are expecting a baby is one of the happiest moments of their lives but for others it seems like the beginning of a nightmare. Pregnancy directly affects your life, your family's life and the life of your unborn child. If you are considering abortion I beg you to talk to someone you trust to speak God's truth to you. Whomever you decide to speak with, make sure it's someone who will help you consider all the moral and emotional aspects of the road you choose. The hormones and extreme emotions of pregnancy sometimes make reasonable decisions more difficult. The thought of not being prepared to be a parent can be difficult but choosing to terminate your pregnancy may likely leave you suffering from guilt, remorse and grief for many years. Every child deserves to be loved and a chance for a happy life, weather planned or unexpected.

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations." Jeremiah 1:5.

In Genesis 2:7 God formed man from the dust of the earth, breathed into him life and man became a living soul. We are composed of three elements: the physical body, the soul (mind, will and emotions), and the spirit which connects to the Spirit of God. When God said that He would create Man "in His own image and after His likeness," He was speaking in the spiritual sense. "God is spirit, and the people who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth." John 4:24. The Bible tells us to worship God in spirit and in truth. Without the spiritual nature that God instilled in us, that would be impossible. The spirit within us is drawn to God, unless, the spirit is quenched ...and the individual becomes corrupted. When God created us, He provided a spiritual nature within us. When Man disobeyed God and fell, he acquired a sinful nature. The sinful nature and the spiritual nature are constantly at odds with each other. When you decide to give your life to Jesus and make Him Lord over your decisions, your spiritual nature is strengthened by the presence of the Holy Spirit but the sinful nature will always be present until you die. "Quench not the Holy Spirit," 1Thessalonians 5:8. The Holy

I don't believe abortion is a political issue and I'm not making a political statement. I believe this is a scientific and a theological issue. I strongly believe abortion is the murder of an innocent human being. According to the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum (USHMM), the country's official memorial to the Holocaust, "The Holocaust was the murder of six million Jews and millions of others by the Nazis and their collaborators during World War I. We swore as a nation we would never turn a blind eye and allow that to happen on our watch again...yet we have. Since Roe vs. Wade we have surpassed that number and allowed more than fifty-five million baby boys and girls in the United States alone! I understand with catastrophic numbers like that, there is someone reading this that will be in that statistic. You are loved and there is help to move past this pain. God sees your heart and loves you. At the same time, I will boldly say again that abortion is murder. Many of us are guilty of it. Maybe you weren't the ones who had the abortion. Maybe you are a nurse and assisted the abortion. Maybe you are the physician that preformed the abortion. Maybe you coerced and pressed somebody to have the abortion or maybe you paid for the abortion. Maybe you voted for the politicians who push the agenda of abortion. Abortion is a very profitably business and Planned Parenthood is the Joseph Stalin and

Adolf Hitler of today. Where there is sin, grace is available all the more. "God's law was given so that all people could see how sinful they were. But as people sinned more and more, God's wonderful grace became more abundant," Romans 5:20. The more you try to make your life better by pursuing your own desires, the more your desires will spin out of control, creating stressful and frustrating chaos in your life. But the more you pursue a closer relationship with God above all else, the better you'll be able to distinguish between what's truly important and what's merely wanting your own way. Don't let sin hold you back from being all God created you to be, He loves you.

"You formed my inward parts; You knitted me together in my mother's womb. I praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are Your works; my soul knows it very well. My frame was not hidden from You, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth. Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in Your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there was none of them," Psalms 139:13-16.

If you do not have a Bible please contact me at sfadebbie@yahoo.com and I will provide you one.

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Learn about antiques and collectibles with Dr. Georgia Caraway



I wanted to experiment on the eBay selling side of the antique business. A friend spent 4 hours teaching me the ins and outs of selling on eBay. We set up one auction with 5 political buttons in it with a closing date of a week away. I anxiously checked my auction site every day to see if anyone was interested. Twenty minutes before the auction was to close, much to my disappointment, no one had bid. I felt crushed, but lo and behold a few minutes later I got a notice that two people had bid on my auction at the end in what insiders know as “sniping” (or last-second bidding). My spirits perked up. I was vindicated. And I was hooked!

So I put on 18 more items. Seventeen sold!

One of the items was a letter that was written by John J. Pershing on American Expeditionary Forces stationary to a woman in California who had sent him a copy of two songs she had written, one dedicated to the 40th Division. I did some research on other Pershing items that had sold on eBay and found a card with a Pershing signature that sold for \$95; a full sized letter signed by Pershing that sold for \$75; and an autographed 2-volume set of Pershing’s “My Experiences in the World War” that sold for \$150. My letter’s previous owner had cut it down to about half its origin size, which I realized would reduce its value considerably.

John Joseph Pershing was born near Laclede, Mo., a son of a railroad worker turned merchant. He graduated from West Point in 1886. After several years of cavalry service on the frontier, he taught military science and fencing at the University of Nebraska. He then went back to teach at West Point where he gained the nickname “Black Jack” because he

had commanded a black cavalry unit in Montana. He left West Point to fight in Puerto Rico and Cuba during the Spanish-American War in 1898; from 1899 to 1903 he fought in the Philippines. Rising rapidly he became a brigadier general in 1906, promoted over the heads of 800 senior officers. He spent the years from 1906 to 1914 in the Philippines; at his next assignment in San Francisco, his wife and three of his four children perished in a fire (1915). This left Pershing a grave and taciturn man, but he pursued his profession assiduously, leading the expedition against Pancho Villa (1916-17). On May 26, 1917, he became commander of the American Expeditionary Force and he led the buildup and training of American forces in France. He insisted that the American troops should remain intact as units to fight independently and with their own tactics. By September 1918, he launched the U.S. First Army against St. Mihiel in the first independent offensive by American forces. He then cooperated in the Meuse-Argonne offensive that led to the collapse of the Germans and the armistice. He returned to the USA and in September 1919 was named General of the Army; he served as chief of staff until his retirement (1921-24). He served as chairman of the American Battle Monuments Commission and in several honorary diplomatic positions. His memoir, “My Experiences in the World War” (1931) won the Pulitzer Prize in history. Although too old to take any active role in World War II, he did consult with Chief of Staff George Marshall. A true American hero.

So if you are curious about how much my Pershing signed letter sold for, well, let’s just say Pershing would have appreciated

the sniper who got in the last shot and won the bidding war.

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Texas History Minute:



Dr. Ken Bridges

Dr. Bridges is a Texas native, writer, and history professor. He can be reached at drkenbridges@gmail.com.

It has been said that heroism is defined as holding on for one moment longer. A moment can save a life or change the destiny of a nation. Travis Watkins, a native Texas resident, was one such hero who took charge and held on against overwhelming odds, saving the lives of his men in the process and receiving the Congressional Medal of Honor for his actions. Travis Watkins was born in Waldo, a small community in southern Arkansas in 1920. The family would stay in Waldo for only a few years more before leaving for Texas, finally settling in Troup, a small town near Tyler. In 1939, he enlisted in the army.

At Guadalcanal in the South Pacific, American forces went on the offensive against Japan for the first time in the war, determined to turn the tide of the fighting. In August 1942, American forces launched an attack on Japanese positions. Watkins served with distinction in the battle and was awarded the Bronze Star for his bravery.

He served with distinction in many campaigns until the Allied victory in 1945. Watkins continued to serve in the army in the peacetime years that followed and rose through the enlisted ranks to Master Sergeant. In 1948, he married Madie Sue Barnett, with whom he had two daughters.

In June 1950, the peace was shattered when North Korea launched a massive, unprovoked attack on South Korea. Watkins was called back into action with the Ninth Infantry and sent to shore up their failing defenses. By the end of August, American, South Korean, and United Nations forces had been pushed into a small pocket of the southeastern corner of

South Korea that came to be called the Pusan Perimeter. Allied forces were facing total defeat.

On August 31, Watkins and his detachment of 30 men were completely cut off from their regiment. Near Yongsan, he organized his small group into defensive positions, deciding to fight it out. As they ran low on ammunition, Watkins would charge out of their foxholes to retrieve ammunition from fallen North Korean troops. Though he was shot, he continued to fight for the lives of his men for three more days.

Watkins and his men deflected wave after wave of attacks. In one wave, North Korean troops charged his foxhole with grenades. Critically wounded in the attack, Watkins killed all of his attackers, preventing his position from being overrun.

But he realized he had been paralyzed from the waist down by his injuries. He knew he would not survive the battle but kept directing his men to give them their chance to break out and rejoin their regiment. Over the next days, he insisted the men take his share of their dwindling food supply, and on September 3, after seeing an opening, ordered them to make their escape without him, telling them his injuries would only slow them down. According to his men, he wished them luck and then died. The remaining troops made it back safely after a battle that took out 500 enemy troops.

Watkins died two days before his thirtieth birthday. He was later buried in Gladewater.

A few months after his death, the army awarded Watkins the Congressional Medal of Honor for his service above and beyond the call of duty. President Harry Truman gave Watkins's posthumous award to his widow in a ceremony at the White House. Watkins would be one of 33,000 Americans to lose their lives in the Korean War and one of 146 men to receive the Medal of Honor during the conflict. His sacrifice was not forgotten. In 1961, a housing complex at Fort Sam Houston was named for him. In June 2000, the navy launched the USNS Watkins, a 950-foot cargo ship named in honor of Watkins, which has been in service ever since.

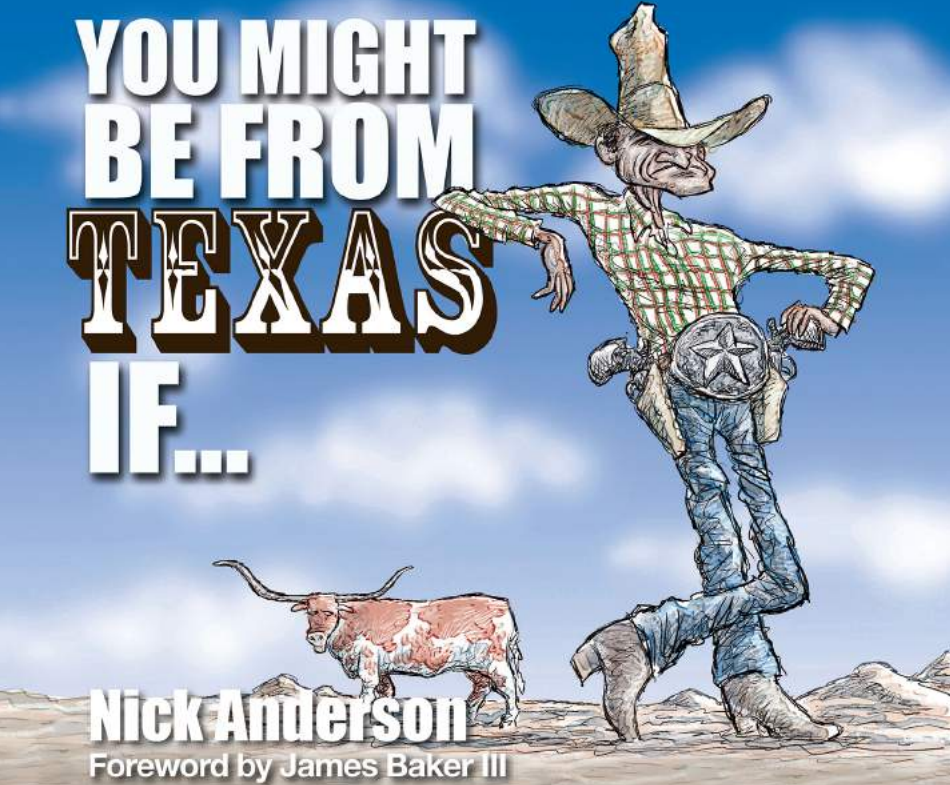


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8:45-9:15 Breakfast
9:15-10:00 Speech and Presentation
10:00-11:00 Coffee and Visiting

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Howe Elementary/Middle School breakfast and lunch

<p>Mon - 10/24/2016</p> <p>Blueberry Muffin/Sausage Cereal Cinn Toast/toast Trix w/toast Diced Peaches Orange Juice Assorted jelly</p>	<p>Tue - 10/25/2016</p> <p>Breakfast Pizza Cocoa Puffs w/toast Honey Nut Cherrios/toast Apple Juice Fruit Cocktail Assorted jelly</p>	<p>Wed - 10/26/2016</p> <p>Pancake on Stick Cereal Cinn Toast/toast Trix w/toast Pineapple Orange Juice Syrup Assorted jelly</p>	<p>Thu - 10/27/2016</p> <p>Bacon-Eggstravaganza Cocoa Puffs w/toast Cereal Cinn Toast/toast Rosy Applesauce Apple Juice Assorted jelly</p>	<p>Fri - 10/28/2016</p> <p>Breakfast Sandwich Trix w/toast Honey Nut Cherrios/toast Apple Sliced Orange Smiles Orange Juice Assorted jelly</p>
<p>Mon - 10/24/2016</p> <p>Hamburger Cheeseburger Bar BQ Beef Sandwich Lett-Tom-Pickle-Onion Potato Smiles Baked Beans Diced Peaches Orange Juice Vanilla Pudding Ketchup Salad Dressing Mustard</p>	<p>Tue - 10/25/2016</p> <p>Beef Fingers Popcorn Chicken Wheat Roll Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Apple Juice Fruit Cocktail Country Gravy Ketchup BBQ Sauce Honey</p>	<p>Wed - 10/26/2016</p> <p>Chicken Crispeto Orange Glazed Chix-Rice Ranch Beans Steamed Corn Pineapple Orange Juice Spanish Rice Picante</p>	<p>Thu - 10/27/2016</p> <p>Hot Dog Grilled Cheese Carrot Sticks Vegetable Soup Rosy Applesauce Apple Juice Macaroni & Cheese Gelatin Jewels Mustard Ketchup</p>	<p>Fri - 10/28/2016</p> <p>Cheese Pizza Fish Strips/Hush Puppies Garden Salad Broccoli Apple Sliced Orange Smiles Frozen Juice Cup Tarter Sauce Ranch Dressing</p>

Howe High School breakfast and lunch

<p>Mon - 10/24/2016</p> <p>Chocolate Muffin/link Cereal Cinn Toast/Toast Trix w/toast Diced Peaches Orange Juice Assorted jelly</p>	<p>Tue - 10/25/2016</p> <p>Pig n Blanket Cocoa Puffs w/toast Honey Nut Cherrios/Toast Apple Juice Fruit Cocktail Assorted jelly</p>	<p>Wed - 10/26/2016</p> <p>Pancake on Stick Cereal Cinn Toast/Toast Trix w/toast Pineapple Orange Juice Assorted jelly</p>	<p>Thu - 10/27/2016</p> <p>Bacon-Eggstravaganza Honey Nut Cherrios/Toast Cocoa Puffs w/toast Rosy Applesauce Apple Juice Assorted jelly</p>	<p>Fri - 10/28/2016</p> <p>Breakfast Bagel Cereal Cinn Toast/Toast Trix w/toast Apple Sliced Orange Smiles Orange Juice Assorted jelly</p>
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Howe 3rd and 4th lose heartbreaker in Super Bowl, 6-0



The Howe Bulldogs 3rd and 4th grade accept the 2nd place trophy.

Photo by Victory Light Sports Photography

The 3rd and 4th grade Howe Bulldogs (8-2) would made their way to the Super Bowl on Saturday and took on a good Tom Bean Tomcats team (9-0) on Saturday in Sadler, Texas. The Bulldogs would come out and move the ball on the Tomcat defense which had not given up a score since the third game of the season. The Bulldogs stalled out on the ten yard line and turned the ball over to the Tomcats. Tom Bean would use the next quarter and a half to move the ball to the end zone and take a 6-0 lead to the half.

ball with tailback Braden Ulmer and wideout Maliki Daily, but again would stall in with inside the 10 yard line where the Tomcats would run out the clock and win the title.

The Bulldogs would end the season with 8-2 record with both losses being to Tom Bean 7-6 in the first meeting and 6-0 in the second.

Editor's note: Special thanks to Mike Stephens, Andrew Cross and Laura Duree for supplying articles for their team this season.

Howe shut down the Tomcats on the next series and again moved the

Howe Youth Football most likely will not be covered in 2017.



2016 Howe Bulldogs Football

Date	Opponent	Score
8/26, 7:30p	@ Gunter	14-42 L
9/2, 7:30p	Bowie	38-13 W
9/9 7:30p	Muenster	37-31 W
9/16, 7:30p	@Quinlan	44-13 W
9/23, 7:30p	@ Caddo Mills	56-27 W
10/7, 7:30p	Pottshoro	7-35 L
10/14, 7:30p	@ Van Alstyne	36-39 L
10/21, 7:30p	Whitesboro	28-17 W
10/28, 7:30p	Pilot Point	
11/4, 7:30p	@ Callisburg	

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF HOWE STATE BANK of Howe in the State of Texas at the close of business on Oct. 1, 1964.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	124,346.17
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	99,145.74
Obligations of State and political subdivisions	None
Other bonds, notes and debentures (including securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed by U.S.)	20,000.00
Corporate stocks (including stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	None
Loans and discounts (including \$69,22 overdrafts)	375,094.24
Bank premises owned \$40,490.37, furniture and fixtures \$9,071.88	49,562.05
(Bank premises owned are subject to \$ none liens not assumed by bank)	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	None
Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate	None
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	None
Other assets	2,156.00
TOTAL ASSETS	670,304.16
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	229,276.45
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	190,305.15
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	4,624.15
Deposits of State and political subdivisions	20,342.86
Deposits of banks	62,500.00
Certified and officers' checks, etc	2,149.76
TOTAL DEPOSITS	509,198.37
(a) Total demand deposits	318,893.22
(b) Total time and savings deposits	190,305.15
Mortgages or other liens \$.... on bank premises and \$.... on other real estate	None
Rediscounts or other liability for borrowed money	None
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	None
Other liabilities	None
TOTAL LIABILITIES	509,198.37
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital: (a) Common stock, total par value \$75,000.00	
(b) Preferred stock, total par value \$ None total retireable value \$....	75,000.00
(c) Capital notes and debentures \$ None	
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	36,105.82
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	None
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	161,105.82
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	670,304.19
MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold with agreement to repurchase)	None
(a) Loans as shown above are after deduction of valuation reserve of	None
(b) Securities as shown above are after deduction of valuation of	None

I, Cleon L. Hamilton, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Cleon L. Hamilton,
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The Howe Enterprise
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SCHOOL NOTES

By Jane Cooper,
School Reporter

HOWE BOY EXHIBITS HEIFER

Jimmy Gleaves is exhibiting one of his registered Santa Gertrudis heifers in the Junior Beef Heifer Show at the State Fair of Texas this week. Jimmy has shown his heifer at the North East Texas Junior Livestock Show at Sulphur Springs and at the Texoma Junior Livestock Show at Loy Lake. Jimmy won the Champion Santa Gertrudis female trophy with his heifer at the Loy Lake Show.

FFA - FHA GO TO FAIR

Twenty-eight members of the Howe FFA Chapter and thirty-two members of the Howe FHA Chapter attended the State Fair Saturday. Saturday was Rural Youth Day and FFA and FHA members from all over the state were at the Fair. The FHA group was accompanied by Mrs. Joe King; and Mr. Elvis Arterbury was bus driver. The FFA group was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Billy Harrel and Mona.

DONNA MOSES FFA SWEETHEART

Miss Donna Moses was elected FFA Sweetheart by the members of the Howe Chapter during the Sweetheart Contest ending last week.

Donna is a Freshman in Howe High School and is an alternate Cheerleader for the Howe Pep Squad. She is also serving as president of the Grayson County 4-H Club and is an Outreach Chairman in the Methodist Youth Fellowship. She will represent the Howe Chapter in the Sherman District Sweetheart Contest and other FFA banquets. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Moses of Howe.

PRESIDENT OF JUNIOR COLLEGE SPEAKS

Dr. Cruce Stark, former president of Kilgore Junior College and now president of Grayson County Junior College, spoke to the Howe High Juniors and Seniors Wednesday, October 14th.

Dr. Stark stressed the importance of a college education and brought out the advantages of attending a junior (two year) college.

Grayson County Junior College, between Sherman and Denison, will open in the fall semester of 1965.

FIRE CALLS

As we go to press we hear the fire alarm, the truck went to Dorchester where the gin or some of the buildings there were on fire, we could not learn just what it was. The Howe Fire Department was the first there. Gunter and a unit from Sherman also came

BAPTIST CHURCH HAS BIRTHDAY

This coming Sunday the First Baptist Church of Howe will be eighty-five years old. The church conducted her first service on October 25th, 1879. W. P. Blake was elected the first clerk and Elder B. J. Smith, who became the first pastor of the church in Nov., was the moderator pro tem. At the November confederation, the church voted to receive into the church C. L. Plemmons, its first ordained deacon.

In 1883 the first building was completed at a cost of \$519.16. On January 1, 1940, the church voted to meet full time and has been full time ever since.

The present church building was dedicated on December 4, 1955. The property and buildings are valued at \$90,000.00. The total membership is 550. Total gifts this past church year exceeded \$20,000. Claude Cone has been pastor since January 1st of this year.

The church is striving for 200 in Sunday School this Sunday. This would give the church an average of 200 for the month of October. The 200 average for a month has never been accomplished in the eighty-five year history of the church. All members are urged to be in Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Sunday. Visitors are extended a warm welcome.

Editorial Note:—Let's all go who can and give them a boost.

The Esther Class of the First Baptist Church met Monday night in the home of Mrs. S. V. Tolbert. Mrs. Arlie Mode, president, was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. Ray Henderson led the opening prayer. Mrs. Lowell Thompson brought the devotional. Mrs. A. L. Sollis, chairman of the nominating committee, presented the names of the officers for the new year: Mrs. Elwood Thompson, president; Mrs. J. M. Howdeshell, vice-president; Mrs. A. L. Reeves, treasurer; Mrs. R. C. Armstrong, secretary; Mrs. Ed Elliott, reporter; Mrs. A. L. Reeves, Mrs. A. L. Sollis, Mrs. Arlie Mode and Mrs. Lowell Thompson, group leaders.

Mrs. Ray Henderson installed the new officers and used as her theme, "A Useful Hat" presenting each officer with a hat to represent the type of work she would be doing. Mrs. Claude Cone sang, "More Like Jesus Would I Be" to close the meeting.

Mrs. Parker Sewell is still a patient in the Community Hospital.

Mrs. A. J. Morris is a patient in the Wilson N. Jones Hospital.

Mrs. Homer Fuller has returned home following surgery in the Wilson N. Jones Hospital.

Larry Carver is improving nicely and expects to be home this week.

HOWE PUPPIES TRIM WHITEWRIGHT

The Howe Bulldog Junior High team won their fourth straight game of the year Tuesday night to remain undefeated. The Whightwright Junior High School was the victim of the fourth win. How scored in the third quarter on a 12 yard pass from Mike Billy to Jimmy Watson. Joe Curtis passed to Mike Billy for the two points.

This was a hard fought game with the score 0-0 at the half. The defense did an outstanding job as they intercepted two passes and held the Tigers in check on the ground. An intercepted pass in the second quarter ended the Tigers' only serious threat. This was a very good game from every angle.

The next game is with Anna next Tuesday night here in Howe. Game time 7:00 p.m.

SESAME CLUB

The Howe Sesame Club met at the Community Room of the Howe State Bank Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. C. C. Jones and Mrs. W. E. Sproul were hostesses.

The program, "A Tribute to Past Presidents" was presented by Miss Mame Roberts. Mrs. Charles Thompson, president, presided over the business session. Mrs. Thompson will represent the Sesame Club at the Grayson County Federation of Women's Clubs at Tradewinds, Thursday, October 29th.

A refreshment course was served to fifteen members with Mrs. Cora Poindexter presiding at the silver service.

The next meeting will be November 3rd with Mrs. W. W. McWhorter as hostess.

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 You've surely noticed our "color editions" the past two weeks — black ink and yellow newsprint.

Like the many descriptions of those little utility houses up at Westgate Mobile Homes, we've heard all sorts of reasons, causes, excuses, or whatever you want to call it, for the yellow newsprint.

Actually, it was once white, about two years ago when we bought it. Then we changed to a more modern process of printing, at another plant in McKinney, where we paid for the printing, paper, ink, labor and all in one package — after we had spent a week putting it all together.

Couple or three weeks ago, we bought our own offset equipment (and junked all the old style machinery) and lo, the newsprint we still had on hand would still work, even though it was a little yellow.

We hadn't mentioned having the new-fangled equipment before, because it's a complicated bunch of stuff, and we weren't sure we could make it do what it was supposed to do. It's worked fine the past two weeks, and if you're reading this, chances are it worked this week.

And too, we're about out of yellow newsprint. Just a dab for a couple of center pages sometime —

Back to the press — it looks a little like a hay baler—so we've got a truck driver assisting with the thing, which contributed to it's success the past two weeks. He's Billy Lankford Central Freight employee and husband of our society editor-janitor, book-keeper-type setter and head of the complaint department — Mary Lankford.

He says driving a truck is easier.

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A panel of psychologists at Marymont College in California offered the following suggestions to develop your own juvenile delinquent.

The sure fire method: Take your child's part in school and neighborhood quarrels. Let him realize that the teachers are underpaid incompetents who could not hold a job elsewhere, and that neighbors are narrow minded and envious.

Let him dress and behave like a beatnik, especially if he tells you all his friends do, and he doesn't want to be different.

Encourage him to avoid responsibilities. Tell him to let the "eager beavers" do it.

Don't tell him he is wrong. That word "wrong" can set up serious frustrations and give him the feeling he is being persecuted.

Be a buddy. Let him treat you the way he treats his friends, call you by your first name and speak only slang. It proves you are "hep."

Let your children hear family

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GREENHILL DUMPS HOWE, 20-14; DISTRICT PLAY STARTS FRIDAY

District play will open here Friday night when the Howe Bulldogs entertain Prosper's Eagles in the first of a four-game race for the crown.

Game time is advanced to 7:30 p.m. for all district contests.

Head Coach Norman Dickey said this week that the squad is ready for the Prosper game physically, despite a pair of injuries in the 20-14 loss to Greenhill last week.

Robert Trotter, halfback, lost two teeth and will possibly lose two more as a result of his injuries. Steve Underwood received a knee injury, but both will be on the starting lineup Friday, Dickey said.

Howe's defensive ground game held the Greenhill team to 185 yards, but the visitors did a repeat against the pass defense on three occasions to chalk up three easy scores, the final one to regain the lead with less than two minutes to play.

Greenhill took an early 6-0 lead after covering their on-side kick at midfield, scoring in four plays, with a 34-yard aerial accounting for the marker.

The Bulldogs punted on 4th down after their first three plays, recovering the pigskin via a fumble on the Hornet nine to set up their initial TD.

Donald Pearce, fullback, hit for two yards and the score on third down. Extra point attempt was missed, to knot the game at 6-6.

Greenhill penetrated to the Howe 14 yard line in the second period, but had to give up the football on downs. The Bulldogs went ahead 8-6 after punting to the Hornet two-yard line, then downing a Greenhill back in the end zone for the safety.

Lenny Gray intercepted a Hornet aerial to open third

quarter action, and set up the second Howe TD at the Hornet 30. Pearce hit the right side for 12 yards then Robert Trotter covered the final 15 on a third down effort to place Howe in the lead 14-6. Greenhill pulled a repeat of their first scoring pass play later in the third period from the Howe 41. The aerial was a fourth down effort. Try for two extra points failed, with the Bulldogs still sporting a 14-12 lead.

The Hornets' winning TD climaxed an effort that began on their own 27 following a Howe punt. Distance was covered like this: three yard run; 15 yard Howe penalty; 12 yds on the ground in three plays; 10 yards in three plays; 15 yd Greenhill penalty; three successful aerials for 8, 10 and 12 yards; five yard Greenhill penalty; 11 yard (half the distance) Howe penalty to the Bulldog 11; pass for TD with 2:18 left on the scoreboard clock.

YARDSTICK

Howe	Greenhill
161 yards rushing	206
28 lost rushing	21
000 yards passing	136
7 attempted	17
0 completed	9
1 intercepted by	2
8 first downs	17
2 fumbles lost	1
6-35 punts, av.	5-31
6-56 penalties	12-103

SCORE BY QUARTERS:
 Howe 8-0-6-0-14
 Greenhill 6-0-6-8-20

HOMEcoming THIS WEEK

Homecoming activities are underway this week in Howe Schools. Included are Special days; football game Friday night during which honorees will be chosen, "Mr. Touch-down," and the "Sweetheart." A dance in the new gym following the game will climax the Homecoming.

HOWE STATE BANK SOLD TO COUNTY MEN

A group of farmers, ranchers and businessmen agreed this past weekend to purchase the majority of the stock of the Howe State Bank, Howe, Tex. from A.L. Geer and a group of his associates at an undisclosed price. Transfer of the stock ownership is to take place within 30 days subject to the approval of the Texas State Banking Department and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

The purchasers are headed by Joe P. Wallace, a veteran of Bank management in Texas Tennessee and a former National Bank Examiner. Wallace is a native of Grayson County and is joined by his brother, Foy Wallace and Lawrence Hedges (Col. USA Ret) of Gunter; Jerry Harlan and Don T. (Bud) Wallace of Sherman; George Light and Bob Light of the Ethel Collinsville Community.

Present directors of the Howe State Bank adding to their holdings and included in the majority group are N.R. Langford, Joe C. King, Jack Norman and Charles R. Thompson of Howe. C.C. Jones, Marshall Robertson and Ray Houston of Howe will continue to serve on the Board of Directors and no changes in Bank management or other board changes were announced.

Wallace stated, "I feel that this action will strengthen the competitive position of the Howe State Bank by broadening its adjacent trade territory. It will be a truly locally owned and operated institution for the benefit of the people in the local area. My family and I are looking forward to living in Howe and taking an interest in the bank and an active role in civic activities." My associates and I have utmost confidence in the economic future of the area and welcome to the opportunity of con-

tributing to its growth and prosperity."

The Howe State Bank was established in 1964 by A.L. Geer, presently Chairman of

the Board, with the assistance of others and most of the present Board of Directors. The bank now has resources of over three (3) million dollars. Geer stated, "I am grateful to the people of the Howe area who have shown me so many courtesies and their loyalty. It has been a heart-warming experience in making so many new and lasting friendships. My most sincere thanks go to my close associates who have worked so hard beside me and contributed so very much to the Howe State Bank. My congratulations go to the new stockholders of the bank and my best wishes to all the officers, directors and employees of the bank for its continued success. All of you have my abiding interest and I will be helpful in any and every way possible in the future."



JOE WALLACE

City receives commission go ahead for federal grant — water supply

The Motorola Corp. submitted the apparent low bid for a three-county law enforcement radio communication system at the Monday night meeting of the Texoma Regional Planning Commission.

B. V. Hammond Jr. of Denison, commission president, presided at the first meeting of the body held in new quarters at Sam Rayburn Airport. The commission formerly was based at Grayson County College.

The commission voted the City of Howe a go-ahead on its application for a federal grant and loan for expansion of its domestic water supply.

T. A. Reid, a Freese, Nichols & Endress engineer from Fort Worth, said Howe could follow either of two routes. One called for an additional well, that would cost \$175,000 if drilled into the Woodbine sand, or \$287,000 if drilled into the Trinity. The other option would be a surface lake, using the Cedar Creek dam site, at an estimated cost of \$2,800,000. Reid said the well was the more feasible on the basis of economy.

Motorola's prime bid for the radio system was \$134,037. General Electric submitted a bid of \$154,749, and RCA, \$180,512.

Financed by government grants, the project will improve and coordinate the short wave radio facilities of sheriff and police departments in Grayson, Fannin, and Cooke Counties. All departments will operate on a common frequency and will be tied to a state law enforcement network.

The commission asked Sheriff Bill Pratt of Cooke County and his law enforcement committee to study the bids and make recommendations for a contract.

The commission gave its blessing to a Trinity River Basin Plan for water quality control. The Trinity drains the southwestern section of the Texoma commission area.

Jerry Chapman, executive director of the commission, reported that operating grants for the commission for the next

fiscal year had been received from Housing and Urban Development in the amount of \$50,000 and the State of Texas, \$25,940.

President Hammond appointed as a budget committee the city managers of the four larger area towns, Larry Krumm, Sherman, chairman, and David Harner, Denison, Jimmy Dotson, Gainesville, and Dan Mize, Bonham.

The resignation of Ben Blackburn, former manager of Texoma Industries, as a member of the commission was accepted. Blackburn resigned after being transferred to a new post. The council authorized a resolution of appreciation.

Chapman reviewed a ruling by the state attorney general that limits commission members to elected political officials, county, city, and school.

The Chamber of Commerce members of the panel may continue as associate members, serving in an advisory capacity but without a vote. These include Worth Campbell of Denison and Dr. Harry Shytles of Sherman, the latter one of the founders of the commission.

Hammond expressed regret on the loss of the active participation of these members and expressed the hope that they could continue as associate members. He appointed a committee to draft the necessary by-laws revisions, including the three county judges, Les Tribble of Grayson, Choice Moore of Fannin, and Larry Sullivan of Cooke.

Crime increases in Grayson County

SHERMAN — The Grayson County crime rate for September was slightly higher than in 1970, according to a report issued by Sheriff G. W. Woody Blanton.

Thirteen more investigations and 85 more arrests have been made by the sheriff's department, with fines, costs and fees totaling \$10,781.

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It's actually not a disagreement among coaches--just a demonstration for the benefit of one of the Howe Bulldogs during the Greenhill game here last Friday. (photo, Joey Elliott, Mac Shields)



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Howe's that...

I WOULD LIKE to apologize to Jason Hodges, a member of the 7th grade football team. For the past two weeks, I have misspelled his name as "Hedges." I'm not sure if the coach had it wrong or if I just couldn't read the coach's writing. Anyway, Jason's grandma called me up to set me straight and we "grandmas" have to stick together when it comes to our grandchildren!

NOTE FROM DONNA JARMA: At the game Friday night, who was that woman lounging in a lawn chair with her feet up and people waiting on her hand and foot? Why, it was Vickie McQueen!!! Ha! Ha! Seriously, take care and get well! We miss you on the old volleyball court ... and everywhere else, of course.

JORDAN REPORT - Sunday, Jordan got to paint a pumpkin (with the help of his mom). He really enjoyed using the little paintbrush to make his pumpkin look colorful. He also tried to eat the paint - to see how it tasted, I guess! At least it was non-toxic.

Also Jordan's mom has gone back to work at Cigna in Sherman. I will be doing a little more babysitting - especially on Thursdays and Fridays if dad is in school or working. Susie will continue to sell Tupperware so if you need some just let her (or me know). She is an area manager for Tupperware and will continue this too.

THIS AND THAT - Two weeks ago when I was down at Pats & Pans getting information on the new owner, etc. Wayne Gray and Mack Davis came in to visit and get some soft drinks.

They told a couple of **STORIES** that bear repeating. Wayne was telling how he had teased Lisa by bringing in a cocklebur and telling her it was a porcupine egg! And Mack was telling about his mismatched tennis shoes. It seems he found one tennis shoe lying along side the road and it fit pretty good, better on that foot than his regular pair. So he likes to wear that shoe on the one foot and the different tennis shoe on the other foot. Sounds to me like a it might just start a fad. Wearing tennis shoes that don't match would also be a good conversation starter!

Howe has been experiencing some **CHANGES** in area businesses. Last week I reported on the new name and new owner at Pats & Pans. This week is a story about Country Keepsakes. Also to be featured soon is the new Sutton Photography studio that has opened in downtown Howe. It is always nice to have new businesses or changes. (Note to all Howe businesses: The ENTERPRISE would like to know what's going on with you - even if it is just a new employee, a new product, a special anniversary, etc. Business news is just as important as the school and city news. Call 532-6012 with your story).

Have you ordered your copy (or copies) of the Chamber **HISTORY/COOKBOOK** yet? You can order by phone if you plan to pick up your book(s) when they are ready. Call 532-6012 or 532-6476. It will help the Chamber to have a count on how many books need to be assembled and completed by early in November. The chamber plans to have copies for sale for several years, but they may not assemble all of the books right now. It will involve a lot of work putting it together.

SCHOOL CALENDAR - see page three.



LET'S GET THIS RIDE STARTED

The kindergarten's circus train ride was very popular with the small fry at the annual Fall Festival last Saturday night. The weather was mild and the crowd was large. There were activities for all ages.

Red Ribbons Presented To Board For Drug Awareness Week

Jarad Finney and Sarah Schaack, Howe Middle School students, presented Howe School Board members Monday night with red ribbons for "Red Ribbon Drug Awareness" week. Finney, an 8th grader and president of Kids Against Drugs at HMS, introduced the KAD sponsor Mrs. Marilyn Power and explained the program to the board. Schaack told the board about activities planned this week at HMS including a poster contest and the giving of red ribbons to students and faculty at HISD.

CALCULATORS IN THE CLASSROOM

Melissa Evans, curriculum director, presented a brief program on the use of calculators in the classroom from Kindergarten through high school. She emphasized a program being implemented in the 8th grade at Howe Middle School. In preparation for the presentation, she read a large number of educational journals. She said she started her reading with the misconception that early use of calculators in the classroom has a negative effect on students. She found that research based on several studies has shown that students who know how to use calculators are better students. She added that students must understand mathematical principles in order to use calculators effectively. She also stated that in order to help students obtain higher level thinking skill, schools must make full use of technology - calculators, computers, etc.

Board member Glenn Fulton expressed his concern that a whole generation of students may be grown before we learn whether or not the early use of calculators is a mistake. Mrs. Evans said that in all her reading she did not find any negative statements concerning the use of the calculator in the classroom and the Howe 8th grade students and teachers are excited about what they are learning in the use of the calculators.

COMMUNICATIONS

Howe ISD has begun a new procedure for the communication portion of their meetings.

The school now requests that those wishing to address the board fill out a slip of paper with their name and the subject they wish to discuss. Supt. Dr. Wayne King explained that this procedure is for the convenience of the board and also to help them to know if the discussion is of a subject that should be held in executive session. (King stated that communications can be taken during executive session.) King also added that in accordance with legal advice the board will not answer at the time of the communication but will get the information out as soon as possible to those requesting answers.

Carol Cox was the only one present who asked to address the board. She asked about packets of information that she and Patsy Stephens had given to board members about 9 months ago. She asked if they had read it and if they would return it, if they are finished with it. She also stated that the board might consider in the future selecting someone to the Grayson County Appraisal Board who is not an elected official and thus be "truly a representative of the taxpayers."

OTHER BUSINESS

Donna Wormsbaker was named Employee of the Month. (see separate article)

Enrollment is at 889. The board approved the 1991-92 tax roll value of \$76,078,400 which will bring the Howe School a tax levy of \$308,119.83.

The board elected Sandra Anderson, member of the Tom Bean school board, to serve on the Grayson County Appraisal Board.

The board also retained the Paul Pogue Inc. firm as the construction manager for the construction of the bus barn and approved a plan for staff development as developed by the District Education Improvement Council.

Following an executive session, the board heard a presentation from Hibbs-

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

CHAMBER MEETING - The Howe Chamber of Commerce will meet on Monday, Nov. 4, at 6:30 a.m. for breakfast at Pats & Pans Restaurant (formerly Stacey's). Much business needs to be discussed. Everyone welcome.

BAZAAR - The Howe Methodist Women's 1991 Bazaar will be held Friday, Nov. 1, 9-6; and Saturday, Nov. 2, 9-2, at the church. The bazaar will include baked goods, quilts, needlework, baby & children items, ceramics, Christmas items, and much more.

COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION will be held Tuesday, Nov. 5, from 8:30 a.m. till ? at the Howe Community Center.

HOWE VFD Ladies Auxiliary will be holding a giant Garage Sale Nov. 2 & 3. They are accepting items for the sale. Leave them at the fire station. If you need your items to be picked up, call 532-6969 (leave a message).

Northland Cable Seeks Franchise Renewal

Alan Layman of Northland Cable Television (which serves the Howe area) presented the City Council with the draft of a contract requesting a renewal of their franchise with the city. Layman explained that the contract is basically the same as the city currently holds (and which expires the end of 1994). He noted that the new contract asks for a 15-year franchise & gives the city 3% franchise tax.

Several council members, as well as several people in the audience, asked Layman about recent interruptions of programming and other problems with cable service.

Layman said that an underground cable went bad and this caused the cable to be off several times in recent weeks. He also stated that during electrical storms all cable companies have problems with cable transmissions being interrupted. One person in the audience commended the cable company for their politeness whenever he calls about a problem but said he had received no acknowledgements of written complaints.

Mayor Ray Bledsoe stated that since cable companies were deregulated, the city council has little input into what the cable company can and cannot do. However, he said he council still needs to receive information from people in town about the quality of the service they are receiving.

Bledsoe mentioned that most of the comments he had had to do with the number of channels received for the price (too few channels, too high a price). He and the council asked Layman to see what could be done about cable subscribers receiving more basic channels at the current price. The council said they would also like to have the franchise tax raised from 3% to 5% and indicated that they feel 15 years is too long for the contract period.

Layman said he will do some work on the contract and will appear at the next council meeting with to discuss the contract with the council.

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

In other business, the council heard the following reports:

*Police report for September- 5 arrests, 121 traffic citations, 19 warnings, 15 complaints, 20 motorist assists, 17 police dept. assists, 9 open doors/alarms, 1 disturbance, 2 burglaries, 3 accidents, 1 theft, 1 stolen 1988 GMC pickup recovered, 130 vacation house checks, 1 terroristic threat/assault and 1 dog call. Total miles driven in 24 patrol averaged 185.

*Municipal court report for September- 119 traffic cases filed, 2 state law and 1 city ordinance non-traffic cases filed. There were 76 payments of fine, 13 cases dismissed before trial, 15 findings of guilty in trial by judge, 12 dismissed after defensive driving, 1 after deferred disposition and 2 after proof of financial responsibility. Three cases were appealed. Total of fine payments were \$5898.75 to city and \$1846.50 to the state for total revenue of \$7745.25.

*City Administrator Ray Houston reported on the condition of city vehicles and equipment. Council authorized the sale/bid process for the 1978 Dodge van and the 1976 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup.

Houston also noted the following major projects completed since he began working for Howe in August of 1990: 2825' of 6" water mains installed with 7 new fire plugs and 660' of 2" water mains installed; approximately 6 miles of seal and chip on streets ranging from 20' to 70' wide plus the paving and rerocking of 6,000 feet of street; 540' of sidewalks on W. Haning St. for school children and residents and 76' of sidewalks downtown; and a 30'x48'x14' new shop

building constructed for the city's use.

*Bert Dowlen, chief of the Howe Volunteer Fire Dept., reported that in the past year the HVFD has continued to upgrade certification, has purchased new equipment (all firefighters are now in NFPA approved gear), has had medical insurance upgraded, and has started new building. During the summer 7 from Howe attended the Texas A&M fire school. He also said that the dept. was to hold a special fire drill and program at the middle school on Friday and that in the coming year the HVFD plans to emphasize fire safety working with the schools, the SNAP Center, etc. on fire prevention. He said the firefighters also want to upgrade their equipment.

NEW PARK

Chamber of Commerce president Lana Rideout reported to the council concerning the park at Kosse and Denny. The chamber is seeking suggestions for a name for the park. Also

on Oct. 30 a group of Howe Elementary students will be planting flowers around several of the large trees. Also the chamber is planning a dedication ceremony (no date set) with a plaque honoring Leisha McCarthy in whose memory a portion of the park is planned.

OTHER BUSINESS

The council passed two ordinances on their second and final readings: Ord. 432 on water and sewer rates (effective with the November billing) and Ord. 433 designating one way streets during school hours on the 100 block of W. Tutt and the 100 block of W. Kosse.

The council approved contracts with Grayson County for fire protection (\$8349 annually) and for library services (\$1500 annually).

Also the council discussed proposed plans for renovation/expansion of the City Hall. They will seek bids when the drawings and proposals are completed.

Dogs Shut Out Whitewright, 32-0

The Howe Bulldogs advanced one more game on the road to a playoff spot as they all but totally shut down the Whitewright Tigers with a 32-0 win Friday, Oct. 18.

The Tigers were held to only three first downs and only 17 yards total offense while Howe racked up 19 first downs and a total of 394 yards offensively.

Leading rushers were Michael Bailey with 112 yards and a TD

and Domingo Rivera with 100 yards and a TD. Brian Freese completed 9 of 22 passes for 155 yards and two TD's and no interceptions. Damion Horton caught 5 passes and scored 2 TD's. Scott Grogan had 2 interceptions, both of which led to TD's for the Dogs.

Coach Joey McQueen commended the defense for

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Country Keepsakes Offers Handcrafted Folk Art & Dolls

Handcrafted folk art and dolls is the specialty of Debbie Lowry at Country Keepsakes, Howe's newest gift shop. The shop is located east of downtown across the railroad tracks (former location of Charlotte's Country Cuts).

Debbie cuts the wood and paints it herself. She also does all the sewing on the dolls which she sells. She has lived in the Howe for 4 years. For 1 1/2 years had her Country Keepsakes shop in the Sherman Antique Mall. When the Howe location became available, she decided to move put her shop in Howe.

Debbie's two sons go to school in Howe: Brandon Barnett who is a senior and Keven Barnett who is in the 8th grade.

Shee has attended about two craft shows a month going last

weekend to the Whitesboro Peanut Festival, but she has gone to shows as far away as Beaumont. For the past three years she has been at the Sherman Arts Fest.

She does have several shows to attend through Thanksgiving, so her hours are a little uncertain. But for now, she plans to be open Wednesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Due to her craft shows and possibly erratic hours (she is the only one who can be at the shop most of the time), if she is not at the shop, she can be reached at her home number, 532-5321 and she does take special orders.

In honor of her opening of the new shop, she is having a special sale, Oct. 23-26: 20% off on any purchase of \$10 or more.



COUNTRY KEEPSAKES

Debbie Lowry has opened Country Keepsakes in Howe just east of downtown across the railroad tracks. She sells handcrafted folk art and dolls.

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Howe's that

by Lana Rideout

This past weekend my husband and I spent time in Abilene attending our 40th class reunion at Abilene Christian University. We enjoyed the Homecoming parade and the chapel service.

We did not attend the Homecoming football game, but the ACU Wildcats won, making their 2006 season so far a 6-0. Go Wildcats!

Thinking about the ACU football team reminded me of a story I heard when I was a student there. ACU is known as the "singing school" - because everywhere the students go, they sing. In the early years of the university (which is celebrating its 100th year), even the football team sang on the bus and in the locker room. And who knows maybe even on the field! That might confuse the opposing team!

Among my favorite memories from 40 years ago at ACU are singing "All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name" at the opening chapel each year and the Tuesday night devotionals on the steps of the administration building singing and praying under the stars. In west Texas the sky seems bigger.

Also part of our weekend was a class reunion dinner on Saturday evening. About 40 or so of our classmates attended - some we knew quite well and others we remembered somewhat. It is a little disconcerting to look at those who graduated from college when you did and see wrinkles and gray hair!

The university campus has changed a lot since 1966. Lots of new buildings and more students. I enjoyed seeing the changes, but my memories of college days still linger in the old dormitory room and classrooms of the good old days -- back to the times when I did not get out of breath just walking across campus!!

GRAYSON COUNTY

Texoma Night Out unites county residents against crime Communities hold block parties and safety demonstrations for annual event

Fall weather greeted those who attended the Texoma Night Out get-togethers in Grayson County on Saturday, Oct. 7.

The Unity Caravan of patrol cars from various cities in the county traveled throughout the area with sirens and flashing lights letting everyone know that criminals are not welcome here.

The event, a take off of the National Night Out, allowed folks a chance to get to know their neighbors as well as police officers while having fun, ranging from carnival type events to homemade ice cream to hot dogs or hamburgers or other food items.

Getting an earlier start than for the NNO events, the caravan had 20 minutes to stay at each stop giving everyone more time to visit.

From the first stop at noon at the Sherwood Shores fire station to the final stop in Whitesboro, everyone agreed it was a great day.

In Tom Bean, a live band played. Officers received hamburgers and hot dogs from the grills.

A special demonstration showing the importance of using your vehicle seat belts was displayed by the Texas Department of Transportation "Safety Bob" safety-belt demonstrator with mannequins on a trailer.

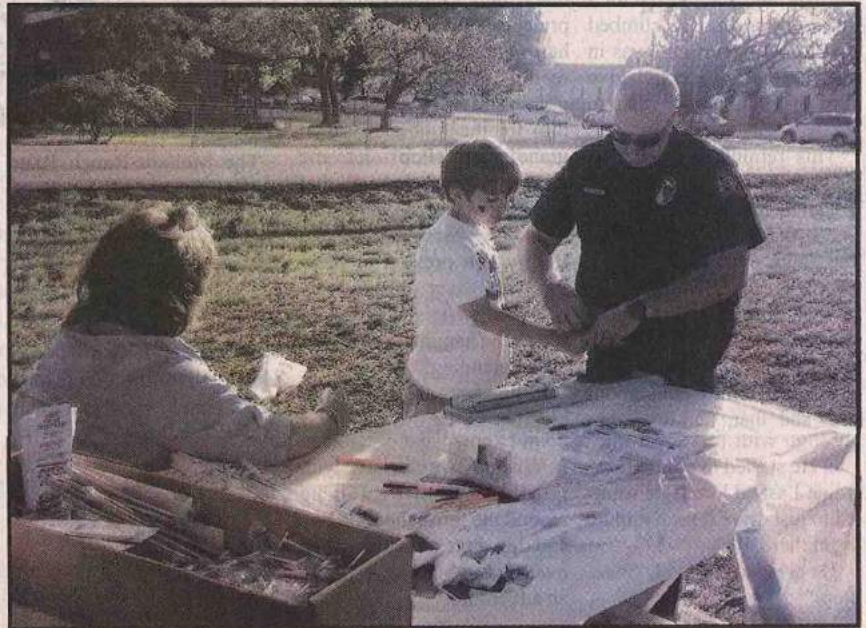
In Howe the caravan was welcomed at the Howe Memorial Park with a large group of school children, chanting and cheering. Also a group from the Howe Elementary School presented the police caravan with blankets to be used for crime victims.

Gunter had a block party with a chili cook-off. Also available were trick or treat booths.

Tioga welcomed the caravan with a large "thank-you" cake they had in the officers' honor.

In Collinsville, firefighters and their families gathered and greeted the caravan and Whitesboro ended the event with a fireworks display.

A special thank you to Howe Police Chief John Cherry who provided many of the photos from the Texoma Night Out.



Howe Officer Bob Douglas fingerprints local kids during the Texoma Night Out activities at the Howe Memorial Park.



Seat belt safety demonstration as held at Tom Bean



Joelle Newton, age 5½, granddaughter of Norman and Joanne Dickey of Howe, presented this Grayson County Sheriff's Officer with a rose because she wanted to give a policeman a flower.

Howe Historical Society to meet Tuesday, Oct. 24

Howe Historical Society will meet Tuesday, Oct. 24, at 7 pm at the Howe Community Center, 700 W. Haning Ave. (next to Howe Police Dept.)

Following the meeting of the historical society, the Friends of the Howe Community Library will meet at the Community Center.

All interested persons are welcome to attend either or both meetings.

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Attention Parents

On Monday, Oct. 23, Howe Middle School and Howe Elementary School will be participating in an evacuation drill. All students in the two schools will be moved to Howe High School and then return to their campuses after the drill.

The purpose of this drill is to review and assess

procedures so in an emergency, evacuation can be done in an orderly and timely manner.

Also Oct. 23 is an early release day and students will be released at 1 pm. You may contact HES Principal Ritchie Bowling or HMS Principal Clay Wilson if you have questions.

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NT BEST team ready for competition

Several Howe High School students are participating in the BEST (Boosting Engineering, Science, and Technology) program. As a part of the North Texas Hub of BEST, the students team up annually with local technologists and engineers to build a remote-controlled robot that is designed to perform a certain task.

This year the task is called Laundry Quandary and requires the students and their robot to be able to push open a set of doors and grab dry laundry that is hung at different heights before putting the dry laundry into a basket. The robots should also be able to hang wet laundry on the same varied clothes lines.

This year's task is much more difficult than previous years. In the past, the

robot has only had to accomplish the given task, not more. This year, it has to perform the job and be

urday, Oct. 21, at Howe High School. Texas BEST will be Dec. 1-2 at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Game day is Sat-



Back, l-r, John Esquivel, TI Engineer; Brandon Slawson; John Slawson, coach; Alex Massie, Joseph Nelson; front, Chad Troxtell; Trent Hamilton, teacher; and Jeimy Holland. Not pictured, Alex Dumiton, Engineer, and Melinda Holland, Coach.

Enterprise photo by Dale Rideout